

VZCZCXYZ0005
RR RUEHWEB

DE RUEHJA #0387 0640756
ZNR UUUUU ZZH
R 050756Z MAR 09
FM AMEMBASSY JAKARTA
TO RUEHC/SECSTATE WASHDC 1739
RUEATRS/DEPT OF TREASURY WASHINGTON DC

UNCLAS JAKARTA 000387

SIPDIS

DEPT FOR M/PRI
TREASURY FOR IA/MALACHY NUGENT

E.O. 12958: N/A
TAGS: [AODE](#) [AMGT](#) [KMRS](#) [ID](#)
SUBJECT: RESPONSE TO TREASURY DEPARTMENT NSDD 38 REQUEST

REF: NSDD 38 Case Number TREAS-IND-21402-12222008

11. Post supports and approves the addition of one full-time Department of Treasury (DOT) Staff, as outlined in ref A.

12. This position will enhance the USG's in-country macroeconomic and financial sector analysis, support Indonesia's financial sector development, and increase Post's knowledge of and contract with International Financial Institutions. The position will also enhance Post's ability to support Indonesia's work with the G20, particularly around reform of International Financial Institutions. The DOT position will also augment USG in-country efforts to reduce terrorist financing and curtail financial crimes.

13. The DOT attach will report to the Deputy Chief of Mission or the Economic Counselor, as determined by the Chief of Mission. The attach will coordinate closely with the Embassy's economic cluster team. All submissions from the attach to the Embassy's front office will be coordinated in advance with the Economic Counselor. The DOT attach will also provide front-channel reporting on macroeconomic policy and financial sector trends.

14. The position was not included in the 2008 MPP, as DOT has only recently reached an agreement with Post on the scope of work for the Treasury position.

15. There is no Treasury staff in Jakarta currently, but the Mission has the space to house the one requested position with some reconfiguration of the Economic Section. Post recommends initially hiring only one FSN given the space constraints in the Economic and Political FSN office. The start-up and ICASS costs to the DOT for one position are as follows:

1A. DOT-FUNDED, START UP

Office Reconfiguration	200,000
Make Ready	20,000
Furniture Pool Buy-in	54,000
Welcome Kit	4,000
Office Furniture	6,000
Office Equipment	10,000
Cell Phone, E&E Radio Equipment	2,000
Sub-Total (A)	296,000

1B. DOT FUNDED, RECURRING

Residential Lease	36,000
Residential Utilities	7,000
Office Utilities	1,000
Overtime	1,000
R & R (emp + spouse + 2 children)	12,000
Education Allowance (2 children)	47,000
Other Travel	3,000
Miscellaneous	2,000

Sub-Total (B) 109,000

1C. ICASS SUPPORT - ONE POSITION 45,000

Total Cost Per Position (A+B+C) 450,000

16. Post requests DOT to respond by email to Peter Haas, Economic Counselor (haaspd@state.gov).

HUME